# AGENCY REQUEST FOR A/E SELECTION COMMITTEE ACTION October 2013

**AGENCY**: Department of Natural Resources

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**LOCATION**: Wisconsin Rapids Service Center – Wisconsin Rapids, Wood County

**PROJECT REQUEST:** Select an A/E consulting firm to provide pre-design through construction phase professional services associated with the design and construction of HVAC repairs and improvements for the Wisconsin Rapids Service Center, with authorization to proceed up to the preliminary design phase including a design report with the intent to request approval from the State of Wisconsin Building Commission for the authority to construct. The A/E fees will be funded with Agency Cash.

**PROJECT NUMBER:** 13I1V

## PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

This project will rehabilitate the Wisconsin Rapids Service Center, replacing a boiler, converting the existing pneumatic control system to direct digital, and converting the existing air-handling system to a variable volume system.

#### **JUSTIFICATION:**

One of the two facility boilers has developed a leak and has a temporary repair that will allow operation during the upcoming heating season, but is in need of replacement. The controls are at the end of their useful life, and have required frequent maintenance. The conversion of the Air-handler to a VAV system will result in energy savings and less staff temperature complaints due to the limit number of control zones.

This project has been submitted by the WDNR as part of the 2013-2015 State of Wisconsin Capital Budget.

### **PROJECT BUDGET:**

Construction

Design

Reimbursables (Geotech, topo survey, utility assessment)

DFD Mgt.

Contingency

TOTAL \$329,900

## **PROJECT SCHEDULE:**

A/E Selection October 2013 A/E Contract November 2013 **Preliminary Design Submittals** January 2014 SBC Approval February 2014 Bid Opening April 2014 **Substantial Completion** October 2014 Construction Start May 2014 **Project Closeout** December 2014

<u>A/E QUALIFICATIONS:</u> The A/E design firm for this project shall have experience in planning, design and construction for building HVAC systems.